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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Hakan Lomryd, et al.
Title: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION AS
SOLID DOSAGE FORM AND METHOD
FOR MANUFACTURING THEREOF
Appl. No.: 10/626,857
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REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED HANDLING

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Sir:

Applicant hereby requests expedited handling of the captioned application through the patent grant/issue process. The captioned application was granted "special" status by virtue of the grant of a Petition to Make Special on May 23, 2005 (copy attached). The issue fee is being paid herewith. Applicant respectfully urges the Patent Office to expedite grant/issuance of the application in accordance with its special status. If there are any questions regarding this submission, the Patent Office is invited to contact the undersigned attorney of record at the number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,

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PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL

This is in response to applicants' petition filed April 25, 2005, to make the above-identified application special under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.102(d).

Applicants have satisfied the provisions set forth in M.P.E.P. 708.02, VIII. (A), (B), (C), (D), and (E). The \$130.00 petition fee as required by 37 CFR 1.17(h) was paid by check. Therefore, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application will be forwarded the examiner for action on the merits commensurate with this decision.

Should there be any questions with regard to this letter please contact Marianne C. Seidel by letter addressed to the Director, Technology Center 1600, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, or by telephone at 571-272-0584 or by facsimile transmission at the general Office facsimile number, (703) 872-9306.

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